





A Military Family Affair



Purpose

To provide a fun-filled day for Fort Polk family members in recognition of Military Family Awareness Month. This special event will be held 20 November 04, 1200 -1600, at the Showboat Theater, and will offer games, prizes, fun, and activities. The objective is to lift morale and promote community unity.



Agenda

- **Events: 1200-1600 Arts and crafts, games, activities, and free hot dogs and drinks**
 - **1230 Egg toss**
 - **1300 Clown show**
 - **1330 Sack races**
 - **1400 Pie eating contest**
 - **1430 Water balloon toss**
 - **1500 Clown show**
 - **1530 Obstacle course with low crawl event for children and parent as a team**
 - **1600 Group gathering in the parking lot to release biodegradable balloons**
- **Throughout the day we will offer on-site 4" x 7" family photo holiday greeting cards. Each card will be \$2 with an option of 3 for \$5.**



Points of Contact

- **Dawn Calcote, Special Events Coordinator**
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- **Shelby Sarver, Commercial Sponsorship**
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Army Family Action Plan Update



Purpose

The Army Family Action Plan (AFAP) is input from the people of the Army to Army leadership. It's a process that lets soldiers and families say what's working, and what isn't - AND what they think will fix it. It alerts commanders and Army leaders to areas of concern that need their attention. It also gives them the opportunity to quickly put plans into place to work toward resolving the issues.



Draft Agenda

0830-1600, Monday, 29
November 04

Army Community Service
Center

DAY 1

0830

CHECK IN / REGISTRATION

0850

BG Barbero/COL Woolfrey arrive

0900

INVOCATION - COL Van Dyken

0905

NATIONAL ANTHEM

0910

OPENING REMARKS - BG Barbero

0925

DA AFAP UPDATE - AFAP Program Manager

0930

BREAK

0945

WORK GROUP SESSION

1130

LUNCH

1300

WORK GROUP SESSION

1430

BREAK

1445

WORK GROUP SESSION

1600

ADJOURNMENT (TOP 2 ISSUES DUE)



Draft Agenda

**0830-1600, Tuesday, 30
November 04**

DAY 2

Army Community Service

0830

Center WORK GROUP SESSION

1000

BREAK

1015

WORK GROUP SESSION

1115

**- LIST OF ISSUES PRIORITIZED BY WORKGROUP DUE
- ISSUE WORK SHEETS DUE
- ISSUE DISPOSITION SHEETS DUE**

1130

LUNCH

1300

WORK GROUP WRAP UP (BRIEFOUT REHEARSAL)

1425

BG Barbero & COL Woolfrey arrive

1430

BRIEFOUT

1445

DELEGATE VOTE

1515

RESULTS OF VOTE

1530

CLOSING REMARKS - BG Barbero

1600

ADJOURNMENT - AFAP Program Manager



Conference Issues & Work Groups

The work groups are as follows:

- **Medical and Dental Issues**
- **Force Support/Entitlements/Leadership Issues**
- **Youth and Education Issues**
- **Family Support Concern Issues**
- **Housing/Relocation/Employment Issues**
- **Consumer Services Issues**



Army Family Action Plan Update (AFAP)

- **Submitting Issues**

<http://www.jrtc-polk.army.mil/ACS/AFAPFORM.htm>

- **Maintain good standard of living**
- **Make a difference on the installation**
- **Improve quality of life**

**Point of Contact
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AFAP Time Line

Date

Event

Location

22 Oct 04	Submit names of delegates to Conference POC	AFAP/FRC
29 OCT 04	Submit AFAP Issues to Conference POC	AFAP/FRC
05 NOV 04	Delegate Training (Mandatory)	FRC
05 NOV 04	Submit names of SME to Conference POC	AFAP/FRC
09 NOV 04	FRTI and Support Staff Training	FRC
23 NOV 04	SME Training	FRC
29 NOV 04	AFAP Conference (Day 1)	ACSC
30 NOV 04	AFAP Conference (Day 2)	ACSC
01-08 DEC 04	Develop Issue Action Plan	
09 DEC 04	AFAP Steering Committee Meeting	BLDG 350
10-15 DEC 04	Refine Issue Action Plan	
16 DEC 04	Issue Decision Brief with CG	BLDG 350
15 JAN 05	Deadline for Issues to FORSCOM	
MAR 05	FORSCOM AFAP Conference	Atlanta, GA



Directorate of Morale, Welfare, and Recreation Update



DMWR Significant Events

- **NAF Sale (Bldg 3219, 0900-1500)**
 - Property Viewing and Bid**
1-3 Nov
 - Bid Opening and Award**
4-5 Nov
 - Property Removal**
Nov
 - 8-10**
- **MWR Entertainment Production “Black Comedy” (Showboat)**
 - **Dinner Theater Show Only (1930)**
5 Nov
Cost \$8.00
 - **Cocktails 1800, Dinner 1830, Show 1930**



DMWR Significant Events

- **Super Garage Sale (0630)**
6 Nov
- **Outreach Center, closed (Bldg 1801)**
11-12 Nov
(Veterans Day Holiday)
- **Turkey Shoot (1000)**
13 Nov
(Recreational Shooting Range)
- **SAS/YS Mini-Camp**
Nov

19-24

Community Action Council (Siegfried Youth Center, 0600-1800)

2 November
2024



DMWR Significant Events

- **Outreach Center closed, (Bldg 1801)
22-26 Nov
(Thanksgiving Holidays)**
- **Child and Youth Services Program Closed
25-26 Nov
(Thanksgiving Holidays)**
- **Cocoa with Mrs. Claus
5 Dec
(Siegfried Youth Center, 1400-1600)**



Directorate of Public Works Update



ACCESS CONTROL POINTS

ACP Location		Cost	Completion date
ACP 6	Chaffee Road	\$1.5M	COMPLETED
ACP 4	LA Avenue S	\$1.2M	COMPLETED
ACP 3	Mill Creek Rd	\$0.8M	COMPLETED
ACP 9	PAAF	\$0.4M	30 Sep
ACP 5	467 South	\$1.2M	04 15 Nov
ACP 2	467 North	\$1.4M	04 31 Jan
ACP 7	K Avenue	\$2.2 M	05 31 Jan
ACP 1	LA Avenue	\$2.9M	05 31 Aug 05
ACP 8	Artillery Road	\$2.85M	Not Funded
ACP 10	Rail Road	\$0.4M	Not
Security Fencing		\$7.04M	Funded 31 May 05



YEAR END HOUSING PROJECTS

<u>Description</u>	<u>Cost</u>
<u>Completion Date</u>	
Repair Roofs Completed	\$2.5M
Repair Streets December 04	\$1.6M
Clean and Paint Houses March 05	\$950K
Upgrade Electrical March 05	\$3.6M
Distribution System	



AAFES Update



Army and Air Force Exchange Service (AAFES)

- **Gigantic Toy Sale**

26 Nov - 30 Nov

- **Fall and Winter Fashion Show**

20 Nov

- **Day-After-Thanksgiving Sale**

26 Nov

Points of Contact

PX opens at 0600

Jim Stevenson - General Manager

Gina Meeks - Fashion Show Coordinator

537-1001



Commissary Update



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- **Special orders during holiday time frame**
 - **Produce fruit and veggie trays - 48 hours**
 - **Deli trays - 48 hours**
 - **Bread trays - 48 hours**
- **Meat special orders**
 - **Large orders - 24 hours**
 - **Rib roasts, crown roasts - One week**

Point of Contact

Barbara Zanyk - Store Director
531-2747



Picerne Military Housing Update



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Neighborhood Activities

- **November**
 - **Thanksgiving Coloring Contest**
 - **Four age groups**
 - **Deadline November 5**
 - **1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each category**
- **December**
 - **Holiday Cards**
 - **Holiday Open House**
 - **Tuesday, December 14, 4:30 - 7:30 p.m.**
 - **Santa visits neighborhoods**



Picerne Military Housing Update

Immediate Impact Program

- **Dogwood Neighborhood Office playground to open November 15.**
- **Camellia Neighborhood Office playground will be complete in late November.**
- **North Fort Athletic Field playground will be complete in December.**
- **Improvements are being made to homes as they become vacant.**
- **Groundbreaking for Palmetto Park - Spring 2005**



Picerne Military Housing Update Neighborhood Notes

- **Locks changed at RV storage lots November 1.**
- **Bazydlo Street and Bazydlo Place are now part of the Cypress Terrace Neighborhood.**
- **The first quarterly survey will be sent randomly to residents the beginning of December.**



Directorate of Emergency Services Update



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- **Holiday safety**
- **Driving on PT routes**
- **Speeding throughout housing area**



Staff Judge Advocate Update



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- **JRTC & Fort Polk Continuing
27-28 Oct 04
Legal Education**
- **JRTC & Fort Polk Retiree Open House
30 Oct 04**
- **JRTC & Fort Polk Tax Center Grand Opening
18 Jan 05**



Installation Chaplain's Office Update



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Special Events for November

- **519th MP BN “Building Strong and Ready Families” 1 Nov**
(Leesville, Phase-One, Landmark Hotel)
- **1/2 ACR Marriage Seminar**
2 Nov
(Warrior Community Center)
- **83rd Chem BN Prayer Breakfast**
4 Nov
(Warrior Brigade Dining Facility, 0800)



Installation Chaplain's Office Update

Special Events for November

- **46th EN BN Prayer Breakfast**
10 Nov
(Warrior Brigade Dining Facility, 0800)
- **Catholic Thanksgiving Day Mass**
25 Nov
(Main Post Chapel, 1000)
- **Family Advent Wreath Workshop**
30 Nov
(Showboat Theater, 1730)



Dental Activity (DENTAC) Update



Dental Activity Update

- **Memorialization of Shira Dental Clinic**
- **Red Cross Dental Assistant Program underway**
- **Second opinion on dental treatment**



Medical Department Activity (MEDDAC) Update



Medical Department Activity Update Bayne-Jones Army Community Hospital

- **Flu shot update**
- **Retiree Open House statistics**
- **LDRP Construction - 4W moving to 5W**
- **TNEX contract now in place and working**
- **BJACH Thanksgiving holiday schedule**
- **Holiday healthcare for college kids**



Warrior Brigade Update



Warrior Brigade Update

Activities

- **Deployment/Redeployment Ceremonies**
 - **6/43 Med**
 - **F/18 PSB**
 - **585 MCT**
 - **603 TC**
 - **814 EN**
- **Training Events**
 - **Live Fire Exercises**

16 Dec
(Peason Ridge/Beauregard)

4 Nov -



Warrior Brigade Update

• Other

Activities

- Candlelight Vigil
Nov 22
- Thanksgiving Dinner
Nov 23
- Boxing Smoker
Dec 17
- MLK Day Prayer Breakfast
19 Jan



Operations Group Update



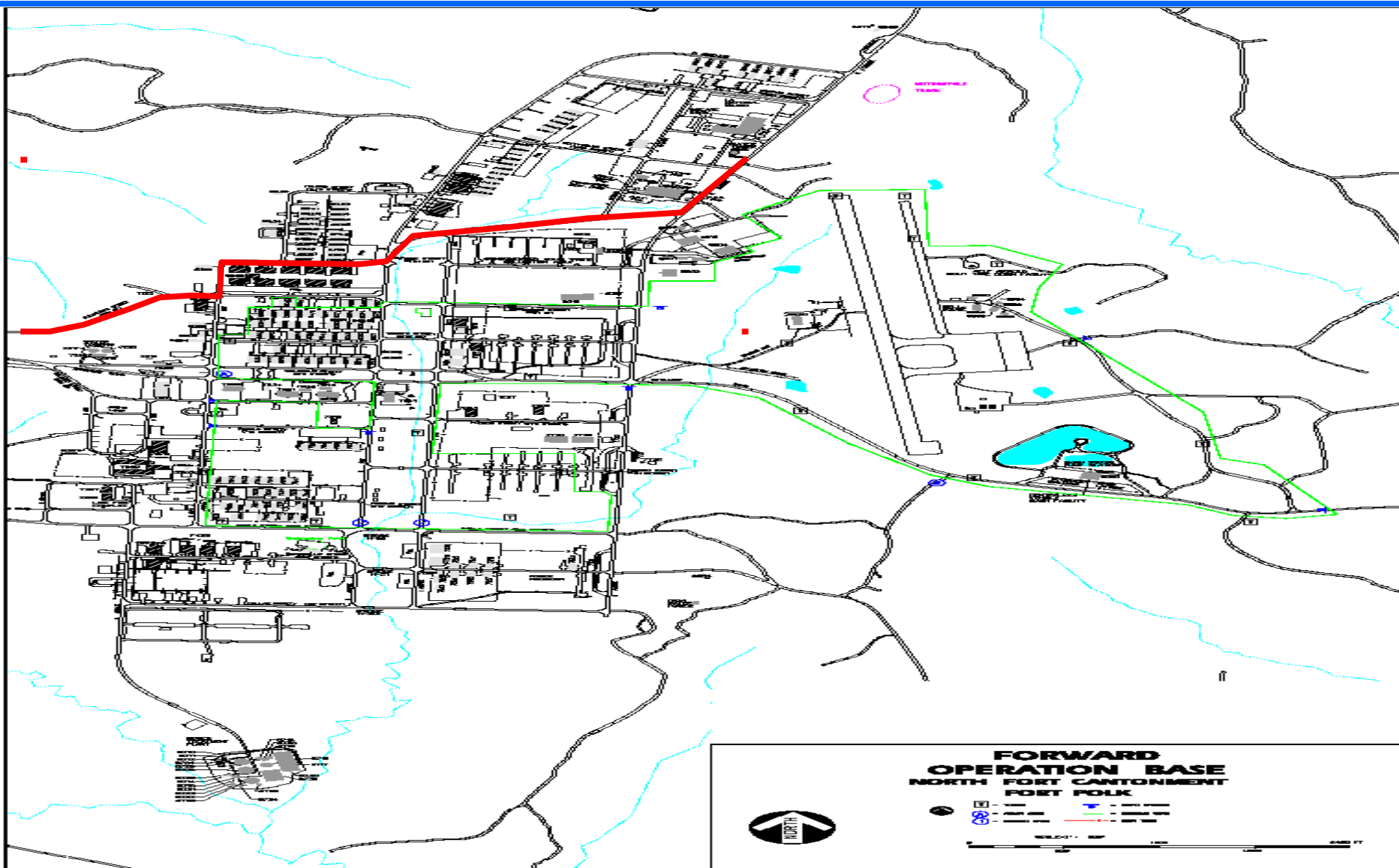
Operations Group Update Exercise

- **Mission Rehearsal Exercise (MRE)**
4th Brigade, 3rd ID from Fort Stewart, GA
- **Situational Training Exercise** **29**
Oct - 3 Nov
- **Peason Ridge Live Fire Exercise Training** **31**
Oct - 2 Nov
- **MILES Force-on-Force** **6 Nov -**
10 Nov



Operations Group Update Rotation Traffic Flow

- **12 p.m., November 4th to 6 p.m., November 10th**
- **Detour signs will be posted on Mobile Street and Entrance Road.**
- **Intersection of K Avenue and Artillery Road is blocked
(except for emergency vehicles).**
- **Entrance Road is blocked at the North Fort Polk Shoppette
at G Avenue.**
- **Reno Street and Alexandria Street are primary
bypass for all**





2ND Armored Cavalry Regiment Update



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- **2 CR split into 4/10 IN and 2 CR**

16 Nov

- **Thanksgiving meal in Fiddlers Green**

25 Nov

- **Squadrons move to Fort Lewis (150 soldiers)**

1&3 Dec

- **Regimental Holiday Ball**

17

Dec



Audience Open Session



Garrison Commander's Update



Garrison Commander's Update

- **School Liaison Officer, selection - Tamara Krenek**
- **50 Meter Pool re-opened, 26 October**
- **50 Meter Pool locker renovations, November/December**
- **Community and Family Support Center (CFSC) Assessment Team visit, 15-19 November**
- **Golf Course drainage contract bid closes 5 November**





INSTALLATION KEY EVENTS

- **Installation Super Garage Sale (0630-1600)**
6 Nov
- **Training Holiday (Veteran's Day)** **11-14 Nov**
- **Parkey-Schooler (1000)ferences (Local Schools)**
13 Nov
- **Red Cross Turkey Trot 5K Run** **20 Nov**
(Honor Field, 0700-0930)
- **A Military Family Affair (Showboat, 1200-1600)**



INSTALLATION KEY EVENTS

- **School Thanksgiving Holiday**
22-26 Nov
- **November/December Combined**
1 Dec
Retirement Ceremony (1600)
- **Education Center Combined Graduation**
2 Dec
(Main Post Chapel, 1730)
- **“Cocoa with Mrs. Claus”**
5 Dec



Methods of Submitting a CAC Issue

INTERNET

Access the Fort Polk Web Page

www.JRTC-Polk.Army.Mil

Click on CAC Issue Forms

EMAIL

CAC@Polk.Army.Mil

PHONE

531-CAC1



**Next CAC will be
conducted at 0900 on 7
December at the Warrior
Community Center
Slide suspense COB 19 Nov**